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FASHION CALENDAR

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WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1941

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WHAT'S GOING ON</u>	<u>GIVEN BY</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
Now Showing	OFFICIAL WOMEN'S DEFENSE UNIFORMS The following four manufacturers have been licensed by the Office of Civilian Defense, under direction of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mrs. Anna Rosenberg (representing Mayor LaGuardia), to manufacture the officially approved women's defense uniforms: <u>Kessler, Schwartz & Co., 266 W. 37 - Outdoor Workers' Uniform; Townley Frocks, 550 7th Ave., - Office Workers' Uniform; Bruck's Nurses Outfitting Co., 387 4th Ave. - Hospital Aide's Uniform; Hoover Mfr. & Sales Co., 251 W. 19 - Canteen Workers' Uniform.</u> Deliveries begin at end of December. The O.C.D. has specified a 25% limit on retail mark-ups. Also restriction of retail sale of official uniforms to women who have certificates authorizing and permitting their wearing of them. Retail stores will open "Official Civilian Defense Uniform Shops" as soon as deliveries begin.	4 LICENSED MANUFACTURERS	INDIVIDUAL SHOWROOMS LISTED BELOW
Now Showing	CHARLES CREED COLLECTION Charles Creed is now presenting his Spring Collection of suits and coats in British woolens in New York. Creed Agencies are available to one store in each city on an exclusive basis. Creed woolens from England are available to piece goods depts. on the same basis. No appointment necessary to see collection.	CHARLES CREED OF LONDON	NEW YORK SHOWROOM 24 E. 56TH ST.
Now Showing 10:30 A.M.- 6:00 P.M. Daily	"CHRISTMAS MARKET OF THE AMERICAS" Series of little market stalls selling Pan-American merchandise for benefit of Bundles for Britain. Merchandise chiefly consists of furnishings and decorative objects with some emphasis on women's costumes and accessories, including hand-loomed Guatemalan jackets, Peruvian and Bolivian silver and antique jewelry. Merchandise assembled by Renée MacCredy and Syrie Maugham. Publicity: Renée MacCredy, LE. 2-6962.	BUNDLES FOR BRITAIN	484 PARK AVENUE
Monday Dec. 1- Friday Dec. 5	CONGRESS OF AMERICAN INDUSTRY Annual convention of the NAM. Opens informally on Sunday with display of typical equipment needed to expand defense production. William Knudsen, Donald Nelson, Leon Henderson and Floyd Odum will make opening addresses December 3rd. Alfred P. Sloan, Jr. will address December 4th luncheon session. Banquet dinner, December 5th. For further information, other speakers, etc., address: Walter Fuller, President, National Association of Manufacturers, 14 West 49th Street, CI. 6-8430.	NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MANUFACTURERS	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL
Around Dec. 1 Exact Date Pending	1ST SHOWING MOLYNEUX' SPRING COLLECTION Dresses, costume suits, dinner clothes, coats and hats made expressly and exclusively for Myron Herbert by Capt. Molyneux. In original Molyneux fabrics. Exact date of first showing unknown, pending arrival of models from England. Molyneux franchise exclusive with one store in city. For further information, contact: Myron Herbert, CH. 4-2322.	MYRON HERBERT, INC.	530 SEVENTH AVENUE

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Monday Dec. 1	SPRING MARKET WEEK Supplementing showing of lines by mfrs. in <u>their own showrooms</u> , the following producers will exhibit beginning Dec. 1st at the Vanderbilt and McAlpin Hotels.	CORSET & BRASSIERE ASSOC. OF AMERICA	HOTEL VANDERBILT AND INDIVIDUAL SHOWROOMS
	<u>VANDERBILT</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>VANDERBILT</u> <u>ROOM (Cont'd)</u>
	ANNE ALT BRASSIERE CO.	933-4	PRIMROSE FOUNDATIONS 804-7
	BEVERLY VOGUE CO.	923	REAL-FORM GIRDLE CO. 816-18
	BLAIR CORSET CO.	915-18	RITE FORM CORSET CO. 927-29
	BONZETTE FOUNDATIONS	819	STANDARD CORSET CO. 715-18
	FORMETTE BRASSIERE CO.	931-2	TAILORMADE CO. 931-2
	HELENE OF HOLLYWOOD	901-2	<u>McALPIN</u> <u>ROOM</u>
	INTERNATIONAL CORSET CO.	1115-16	BEAUTY BRASSIERE CO. 1297
	LA CAMILLE	1115-16	CUSTOM MADE BRAS.CO. 1197
	MARJA BRASSIERE CO.	815	DARLING FOUNDATIONS 1529
	NEATFORM CO.	1616-18	LE MONDE 1597-7
			KELLOGG CORSET CO. ???
Monday Dec. 1-4	BOSTON SHOE FAIR	NEW ENGLAND SHOE & LEATHER GOODS ASSOC.	STATLER & PARKER HOUSE, BOSTON, MASS.
Beginning Monday Dec. 1- Saturday Dec. 6	ANNUAL DISPLAY CONTEST Annual Display Competition sponsored by 5th Avenue Association, open to members in 5th Avenue section (including 5th, Madison & Park Avenues, 57th Street and other cross Streets bounded by these Avenues). Competitors will be divided into several classifications and awards will include large cup for best display in <u>all</u> classes, and small cups for best displays in individual classifications. For further information, contact: Miss McLaren, 5th Avenue Association, 350 Fifth Avenue, PE. 6-7900.	5TH AVENUE ASSOCIATION	NEW YORK CITY
Tuesday Dec. 2 10:00 A.M.	PRESS PREVIEW: PALM BEACH COLLECTION Henri Bendel will present a Collection of Palm Beach Originals to Members of the Fashion Press. Strictly by invitation. Publicity: Frances Anderson, CI. 7-1100.	HENRI BENDEL INC.	10 WEST 57TH STREET
Tuesday Dec. 2 10:00 A.M.- 5:00 P.M. Daily	SPECIAL EXHIBIT: XMAS CARDS FROM 1870 ON Exhibit of 200 Xmas cards dating from 1870 up to present time. Exhibit includes many of Prang's prize Christmas cards. Designs include florals, Kate Greenaway figures, pallettes, fans, scrolls, and jeweled cards which came in at end of 19th century. Open to Press and public. Publicity: Jerome Irving Smith, LE. 4-1672.	MUSEUM OF CITY OF NEW YORK	5TH AVE. AT 103RD ST.
Tuesday Dec. 2 11:00 A.M.	FASHION SHOW: "CORSETS MARCH ON" Highlight of "Spring Corset Week" - Warner Brothers' presentation of new foundations and brassieres in amusing, instructive fashion show, "Corsets March On", under direction of Mr. John Love. Followed by luncheon for Fashion Press and buyers from all over U.S.A. Strictly by invitation. Contact: Mrs. Jean Gordon, Warner Bros., 200 Madison Ave., AS. 4-1194.	WARNERS BROTHERS CO.	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL GRAND BALLROOM
Tuesday Dec. 2 11:15- 12 Noon	RADIO INTERVIEW Bessie Beatty will interview Norman Dine, director of Lewis & Conger's Sleep Shop, who will give the low-down on the public's sleeping habits, winter notions, etc. Publicity: Gould Cassal, PE. 6-8600.	BESSIE BEATTY	STATION WOR

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Tuesday Dec. 2 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	RITZ LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Erik (formerly of Paris) will present new hat fashions at the regular Tues. Salon d'Elegance Fashion Luncheon at the Ritz. Open to public. Luncheon, \$2.00. Press by invitation only. Erik Publicity: Elizabeth Maher, EL. 5-4248. Ritz Publicity: Marion Morrison, PL. 3-4600.	ERIK, THE MILLINER	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL OVAL ROOM
Tuesday Dec. 2 2:00- 6:00 P.M.	PRESS PREVIEW: THREE NEW EXHIBITS The Museum will open following three exhibitions on Tues. afternoon, Dec. 2nd: "Useful Objects under \$10"; "Silk Screen Prints under \$10"; "American Photographs at \$10". Press preview from 2 to 6 P.M. Public opening from 4 to 6 P.M. Publ., Sarah Newmayer, CI. 5-8900.	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART	11 WEST 53RD STREET
Tuesday Dec. 2 3:30- 3:45 P.M.	GOLDMARK SEARCH FOR BEAUTY A quest for the most "telegenic" legs of 1941 via the revealing medium of television. Conducted by the Goldmark Hosiery Co., under direction of Norman D. Waters. The Contest will extend through period of 4 weeks. 3 judges from fields of Fashion, Art and Beauty will select most "telegenic" legs in America. Judges on initial program were Mme. Helène Lyolène, formerly of Paris Couture, now with Mme. Et la Jeune Fille; Frank Eliscu, Sculptor; and Blanche Genet, beauty authority of Dorothy Gray Salon. Master of Ceremonies: Mr. Ned Wayburn, Dance Director. New list of Judges for Dec. 2nd program includes: Frances Hughes, Editor, Fashion Calendar; Lester Gaba, Sculptor, Mannequin Maker and Designer; and C. Mathew Desner, Director, Barbizon School of Modeling. M.C., Harry Conover, Conover Model Agency. Publ., M.D. Waters, CA. 5-7430.	NORMAN D. WATERS ASSOCIATES	TELEVISION STATION WNBT
Tuesday Dec. 2 4:30 P.M.	PRESS PREVIEW: NEW COLLECTION First Press showing of Jay Thorpe's Originals for Southern and Mid-Season wear. By invitation. Publ., Constance Hope Associates, PL. 3-3390.	JAY THORPE	24 WEST 57TH STREET
Tuesday Dec. 2 5:30- 7:30 P.M.	BALLET COCKTAIL PARTY World première of two Ballet movie-shorts: "The Gay Parisian" and "Spanish Fiesta", danced by the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo and presented, in technicolor, by Warner Bros. Pictures. Tamara Toumanova, Première Dauseuse of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, is flying in from the Ballet tour especially for this event. Strictly by invitation. Warner Bros. Publ., Morton Gerber, CI. 6-1000. Monte Carlo Publ., Dolly de Milhau, RE. 4-0459.	FELIX FERRY & GENE CABALLERO	FEFE'S MONTE CARLO 49 E. 54TH ST.
Tuesday Dec. 2 6:00- 9:00 P.M.	"LADIES' NIGHT" "Ladies' Night" at Franklin Simon (open by invitation to participating Business and Professional Women's Clubs) will be dedicated to United China Relief. Slogan: "Feed a Chinese Child for Christmas Week". 5% of net purchases of evening will be contributed to club treasuries. Features: Gift Bazaar on 5th Floor; Refreshments; Promenade of Mannequins on selling floors throughout evening; special drawing of prizes donated by Franklin Simon. Proceeds to Mme. Chiang Kai-shek's orphans. Guests of honor: Mrs. Lin Yutang, Mrs. Wellington Koo, Mrs. Tokyo Paine, Miss Ilka Chase, Mrs. Maurice T. Moore (Chairman Women's Division Greater N. Y. Committee, U.C.R.), Mrs. Guy Percy Trulock (Pres., N.Y.C. Federation	FRANKLIN SIMON	5TH AVE. AT 38TH ST.

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for Women's Clubs) and others. Open to club memberships. Press will meet Guests of Honor, by invitation, in Mr. Denny's office at 5 P.M. For further information, contact: For United China Relief, Mrs. M. H. Carothers, MU. 3-4333. For Franklin Simon, Mildred Kaldor. WI. 7-9600.

Tuesday Dec. 2 6:30 P.M. Dinner	FASHION TRADE'S CHARITY DINNER	N.Y. & B'KLYN FEDER- ATION: JEWISH CHARITIES	BILTMORE HOTEL
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Dress Industry will stage Dinner for benefit of 116 charitable organizations supported by N.Y. and B'klyn Federation of Jewish Charities. Seven leaders in ready-to-wear field will be honored at this year's dinner: Adam Gimbel, Saks 5th Ave.; Andrew Goodman, Bergdorf Goodman; Wm. Holmes, Bonwit Teller; Jane Engel, Jane Engel, Inc.; Belle Armstrong, Lerner Stores; Leo Klaber, Klaber Bros.; and S.R. Morse, Ohrbach's. Co-Chairmen of event: Herbert Sondheim, Herbert Sondheim Inc., and David Rosenthal, Rosenthal & Kalman. Admission, \$3.75. Tickets from Bernard G. Cohn, Kirby, Block & Co., 128 W. 31st St. Publicity: Mr. Nathan Bennett, BR. 9-7130.

Tuesday Dec. 2 7:30 P.M. Dinner	CONSUMER-RETAILER DEFENSE PARLEY	NAT'L CONSUMER- RETAILER COUNCIL	ROOSEVELT HOTEL
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Manufacturers, retailers and consumer organizations will confer for first time with Government officials on position of "Textiles in Defense Economy". Conference will take up "Simplification and Identification". Principal speakers: Donald M. Nelson, SPAB; Harriet Elliott, OPA; and Fessenden S. Blanchard, OPM and OPA. Tickets, \$4. For further information: Roger Wolcott, Exec. Sec., N.C.R.C., 8 W. 40th St., Publicity, Roger W. Riis Assoc., MU. 2-0304.

Tuesday Dec. 2 8:30 P.M.	METROPOLITAN MUSEUM TELEVISION PROGRAM	METROPOLITAN MUSEUM & COLUMBIA BROADCASTING	STATION WCBW
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The December series of television programs based on the "Arts in the Americas" from the Museum collections, will begin with program, "These Pictures Hung In Mt. Vernon", presented by Herman W. Williams, Jr. Related program for children is presented each preceding Thursday at 2:45 P.M. C.B.S. Publicity: Wil Marcus, WI. 2-2000.

Wednesday Dec. 3 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	SERT ROOM LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW	DE PINNA	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL SERT ROOM
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De Pinna will present "Fashions for Southern Wear" at the Sert Room weekly Wed. luncheon fashion show. Open to public. Buffet luncheon, \$2. Call Frank for reservations. Press by invitation. De Pinna Publicity, Dorothy Coburn, VO. 5-5800. Waldorf Publicity, Ted Saucier, EL. 5-3000.

Wednesday Dec. 3 4:00- 7:00 P.M. Cocktails	PRESS PREVIEW: SMART AMERICAN HEADLINES	DOBBS HATS	DOBBS SHOWROOM 417 FIFTH AVENUE
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Press preview of "Headlines for Smart America" - a presentation of Dobbs Originals for Spring 1942, under direction of Mr. Arthur J. Stack. Cocktails at 4 P.M.; Fashion Show at 5 P.M. By invitation. Contact: Mrs. Ruth Rusling, O'Dea, Sheldon & Canaday, PL. 3-1670.

Wednesday Dec. 3 7:00 P.M. Dinner	DINNER FASHION SHOW	HOUSE DRESS INSTITUTE	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL
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First Fashion Show of House Dress Institute, association of volume-priced garment manufacturers. Theme of show: "Cottons For You For 1942" featuring new fashions in defense garments based on official U. S. Dept. of

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	Agriculture designs. Admission, \$10 per plate. Open to Trade. Press by invitation only. Chairman of Committee, Mr. I. L. Polakoff, Shelby Mfr. Co., LA. 4-5063.		
Wednesday Dec. 3 8:30 P.M.	GALLERY LECTURE Second in series of lectures given on four consecutive Wed. evenings at 8:30 P.M., by Ruth Olsen and Kenneth Donahue of Museum Staff. Examples from Museum collections and current exhibits are used to illustrate talks. Questions and open discussion follow each lecture. Subject, Dec. 3rd: "Joan Miro and his Background", by Ruth Olsen. Dec. 10th: "Salvador Dali and his Background", by Kenneth Donahue. Wed. Evening Dec. 17th: "Lecture on 3 Current Exhibitions; "Useful Objects under \$10; Image of Freedom Photographs; and Eric Mendelsohn, Architect". Lectures included in price of admission to Museum, 25¢ to adults, 10¢ to children (plus tax). Museum Publicity: Sarah Newmayer, CI. 5-8900.	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART	11 WEST 53RD STREET
Thursday Dec. 4	NOTE: The Plaza Hotel is discontinuing its Thursday Luncheon Fashion Shows in the Persian Room during the month of December. Schedule will be resumed, Thursday, January 8th. Name of exhibitor in later issue of FASHION CALENDAR. Publicity: Joseph Ryle, PL. 3-6744.		
Thursday Dec. 4 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	FIRST COTILLION ROOM LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Walter Florell will open the beautiful new Cotillion Room's first fashion luncheon with a presentation of "Confetti Hats". This begins a series of December luncheon fashion shows to be held every Thursday in the Cotillion Room. Open to public. Regular luncheon, \$2. Press by invitation. Florell Publ., Mr. Frederick, PL. 5-0895. Pierre Publ., Kathleen Moran, RE. 4-5900.	WALTER FLORELL	PIERRE HOTEL COTILLION ROOM
Thursday Dec. 4 1:30 P.M.	"SCIENCE OF BEAUTY" PRESS TOUR Guided tour of newly enlarged Lehn & Fink laboratories and factory in Bloomfield, N.J., conducted for members of Beauty Press by Lehn & Fink executives who will be on hand to present what's new and answer questions. Chartered busses leave for Bloomfield, N.J. from Dorothy Gray Salon, 683 5th Ave., at 1:30 P.M. Return busses leave Bloomfield at 5:30 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. By invitation. Publicity: Mrs. Terry Quimby, WI. 2-6109.	DOROTHY GRAY, LTD.	BLOOMFIELD, N.J.
Thursday Dec. 4 4:30- 7:00 P.M.	MEXICAN PARTY & JEWELRY DEBUT Mexican fiesta to introduce new Mexican costume jewelry by Mary Contreras, newly designed and brought up from Taxco for sale in fine 5th Avenue shops. Rose Gossert (who will probably act as Miss Contreras' wholesale agent in New York, in conjunction with her own Ready-to-Wear Salon) is giving introductory party. Party attractions: Mexican murals; Tito Valentini, Mexican Guitarist who entertained the Windsors; and Tequilla, the native drink. Publicity: Jane Ellis, VO. 5-3800.	MARY CONTRERAS	ROSE GOSSERT SALON 660 5TH AVENUE
Thursday Dec. 4 10 P.M. On.....	WALTZ FASHION SHOW AND DECEMBER BALL Waltz Fashion show will be feature attraction of very social December Charity Ball. Dancing debutantes will model gowns by Mac Wise. Open to public. Tickets, \$7.70, from Mrs. Charles H. Mills Jr., 520 E. 86th St., BU. 8-1036. Ritz Publicity: Marion Morrison, PL. 3-4600.	GROSVENOR NEIGH- BORHOOD HOUSE	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL

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Saturday Dec. 6 9:30 A.M.	"TALK OF TEENS" MEETING Topic: BEAUTY AND EXERCISE, demonstrated by Tremona, figure sculptress for Charles of the Ritz Salon. Open to Teen-Agers and Fashion and Beauty Press. Altman Publicity: Faith Willcox, MU. 9-7000. Talk of Teens: Betty Seeley, (James Hyman Agency) CH. 4-0329.	B. ALTMAN & CO.	5TH AVE. AT 34TH ST. 2ND FLOOR
Tuesday Dec. 9 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	RITZ LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW For end-of-year holidays, Franklin Simon, exhibitor in regular Tues. Oval Room Luncheon Fashion Show, will present clothes for Christmas and New Year festivities. Also intimate apparel for Gifts. Show under direction of Audrey McLoughlin. Open to public. Luncheons, \$2.00. Press by invitation only. Franklin Simon Publicity: Mrs. Mildred Kaldor, WI. 7-9600. Ritz: Marion Morrison, PL. 3-4600.	FRANKLIN SIMON	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL OVAL ROOM
Wednesday Dec. 10 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	SERT ROOM LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Jonas will be fashion exhibitor in the weekly Sert Room Luncheon Fashion Show, presenting a revue of Holiday and Southern Fashions. Open to public. Buffet Luncheon, \$2. Press by invitation. Jonas Publicity: Miss Jonas, PL. 3-7208. Waldorf Publicity: Ted Saucier, EL. 5-3000.	J. J. JONAS, LTD. GOWNS & MILLINERY	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL SERT ROOM
Thursday Dec. 11 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	COTILLION ROOM LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Lillian, Park Avenue Inc., will present fashions for "Southern Sorcery" in the newly inaugurated luncheon fashion show series in the Cotillion Room of the Pierre. Open to public. Regular luncheon, \$2. Press by invitation. Pierre Publicity: Kathleen Moran, RE. 4-5900.	LILLIAN, PARK AVE. INC. (332 PARK AVE.)	PIERRE HOTEL COTILLION ROOM
Friday Dec. 12 10 P.M. On.....	COFFEE BALL & PAN- AMERICAN REVUE Coffee Ball to honor Latin-American Republics and benefit Goddard Neighborhood Center. Honorary Chairman, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt. Latin-American theme and décor. Fashion Review will present Originals by 11 outstanding American designers, in new Coffee colors: Coffee Bean, Coffee Blossom, Café au lait, Café Noir, Café Rico, Green Coffee, and Red Coffee Berry. Designers: Muriel King, Norman Edwards, Kiviette, Princess Ketto Mikeladze, Germaine Monteil, Nettie Rosenstein, Clarepotter, Helen Cookman, Omar Kiam, Dorothy Couteaur and Anthony Blotta. Paul Flato will present Coffee Bean jewels. Other attractions: pageant displaying costumes of Coffee Countries. Admission, \$5.50 up. Tickets and publicity: Mrs. Sumner Taylor, Sherry Netherland, PL. 8-1960.	GODDARD NEIGH- BORHOOD CENTER	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL GRAND BALLROOM
Monday Dec. 15 1:00 P.M., Tuesday Dec. 16 4:00 P.M.	ICE FASHION SHOW Gimbel's will present Skating Fashions in Action on specially constructed mock ice rink on 3rd floor. Clothes will be modeled by members of cast of "It Happens on Ice". First performance, Dec. 15th, 1:00 P.M., for business girls. Second performance, Dec. 16th, 4:00 P.M., for school girls. Open to Press and public. Publicity: Marjerie Howard, PE. 6-5100.	GIMBEL BROTHERS	BROADWAY AT 33RD ST. 3RD FLOOR

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Monday Dec. 15 Through Jan. 10 8:15 P.M. <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; width: 40px; height: 40px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center; margin: 10px 0;">T.</div>	PAGEANT: "THE ROAD TO FREEDOM" Pageant depicting age-long fight for freedom against dictators, by Mrs. Joseph Kohan, Chairm. Ed. Comm. B'klyn Council for Social Planning; and Miss Truda R. Weill, Sec. to Comm. Johanna M. Lindlof, B. of E., Chairm. of pageant. Kaleidoscopic array of 700 costumes now in making under direction of Mrs. Dorothy C. Thornton of School Art League. All costumes including clothes, hats, accessories and foot-gear are being made in sewing depts. of 9 vocational high schools and art classes of 2 academic high schools, by several hundred students. Scenes include Grecian Costumes of 400 B.C.; Florentine, 1490; England, 1642; Philadelphia, 1776; Southern Plantation, 1860; New York Gay Nineties; Brenner Pass, 1940; and "Somewhere At Sea", during Roosevelt-Churchill Conference of 1941. Mediaeval shoes, Cavalier boots and Gay Nineties Costumes under construction by Central High School of Needle Trades, under direction of Lewis Feman. Open to public. Admission, 55¢ to 99¢, net proceeds to campaign fund for Under-Privileged Children. Pageant Publicity: Mary Kelly, NE. 8-0783.	SPONSORED BY BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS	B'KLYN TECH. HIGH SCHOOL DE KALE AVE. AT FT. GREEN
Tuesday Dec. 16 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	RITZ LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Regular Tues. Salon d'Elegance Luncheon Fashion Show. Jane Engel will present "Clothes That Can Be Worn Either North or South". Open to public. Luncheon, \$2.00. Press by invitation only. Jane Engel Publ., Herbert Bijur, RH. 4-0300. Ritz Publ., Marion Morrison, PL. 3-4600.	JANE ENGEL	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL OVAL ROOM
Wednesday Dec. 17 Through Feb. 16	EXHIBIT: "EXTRA! EXTRA! NEWS IN NEW YORK" Exhibit dealing with history of Journalism in New York from 1725-1900, and presenting between four and five hundred pieces - arranged by Miss Grace M. Mayer and Mrs. John Walden Myer. Open to public. On view through Feb. 16th. Publicity: Jerome Irving Smith, LE. 4-1672.	MUSEUM OF CITY OF NEW YORK	5TH AVE. AT 103RD ST. GROUND FL. GALLERY
Wednesday Evening Dec. 17 10 P.M. On.....	RENOIR CENTENNIAL COSTUME BALL Picturesque event presenting, in tableaux, many Renoir paintings now on view in Renoir Centennial Loan Exhibition at Duveen Galleries (720 5th Ave.), open till Dec. 6th and already a source of fashion influence in new Collections. Proceeds of Ball to Free French Relief Committee. Admission, \$10 for one; \$15 for two, from Free French Relief Comm., 435 Park Ave., PL. 3-9562.	FREE FRENCH RELIEF COMMITTEE	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL BALLROOM
Friday Dec. 19 4:00- 6:00 P.M. Public Opening Jan. 8	PRESS PREVIEW: OPENING OF NAT'L ACADEMY GALLERIES OF DESIGN Hundreds of examples of forgotten American art, hidden away in storage for nearly half a century, will be exhumed and placed on public exhibition on Jan. 8th, when National Academy of Design opens new permanent home on site donated by Mr. Archer M. Huntington, New York Art Patron. Exhibit will include paintings, sculpture and graphic arts. 11 Galleries are being arranged in new permanent home, which will also house Society of American Etchers and American Water Color Society. Advance preview for working Press, Dec. 19th from 4 to 6 P.M. Formal evening preview for Academy Members and friends, Wed. Evening, Jan. 7th. Exhibit opens to public, Thursday, Jan. 8th. Contact: Miss Aline Kistler, AT. 9-8508.	NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN	1083 FIFTH AVENUE (AT 89TH STREET)

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✓ Tuesday Dec. 23	NOTE: Tuesday Salon d'Elegance Luncheon Fashion Shows in Oval Room at Ritz Carlton Hotel will be discontinued December 23rd and December 30th, Xmas and New Year's weeks. Shows resume Tuesday, January 6th with Walter Florell's Hat Fashion Show.		
✓ Monday Jan. 5, 6, 7, 8	NATIONAL SHOE FAIR	SHOE MFRS.	STEVENS HOTEL CHICAGO
✓ Tuesday Jan. 6 1:00 P.M. Luncheon	RITZ LUNCHEON FASHION SHOW Walter Florell promises a surprise in presentation of his new Hats at the luncheon review in the Ritz Oval Room. Open to public. Luncheon, \$2. Press by invitation. Florell Publicity: Mr. Frederick, PL. 5-0895. Ritz Publicity: Marion Morrison, PL. 3-4600.	WALTER FLORELL	RITZ CARLTON HOTEL. OVAL ROOM
✓ Week of Monday Jan. 12-16	31ST ANNUAL NRDGA CONVENTION The NRDGA will take up important subjects for Retailer discussion and action at coming 31st Annual Convention at Hotel Pennsylvania. For further information, program of events, etc., consult Mr. Hoyt, NRDGA, CH. 4-7311.	NATIONAL RETAIL DRY- GOODS ASSOCIATION	HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA <i>Conf. room 2nd of even- ing</i>
✓ Wednesday Jan. 14 7:00 P.M. On.....	ANNUAL DINNER AND FASHION SHOW "Day-time Fashions For America, 1942" will be subject of this year's pre- sentation by Nat'l Assoc. of House Dress Mfrs.-windup of Convention which begins Jan. 12th at Waldorf Astoria. Show will stress functional and fashion aspects of clothes for women living under 1942 conditions. Tickets, \$10 each, from Nat'l Assoc. of House Dress Mfrs., 1350 B'way. Press by invitation. Publicity: Alfred Minchenberg, LA. 4-8842.	NATIONAL ASSOC. OF HOUSE DRESS MFRS.	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL GRAND BALLROOM
✓ Thursday Jan. 15 Time Later	PRESS PREVIEW: SPRING HAT COLLECTION Invitation preview. Exact time in later issue of FASHION CALENDAR. Publicity: Miss French, PL. 3-1011.	JOHN-FREDERICS INC.	29 EAST 48TH STREET
✓ Friday Jan. 16 9:00 P.M.	FORMAL PREVIEW: LATIN-AMERICAN FAIR Macy's will give 40,000 square feet of space to giant Latin-American Fair. Months of research have gone into construction of Fair, including trips to South America for design-inspiration and décor. Macy buying representatives have visited all Latin-American Countries and assembled merchandise which they believe will appeal to people of New York, including: textiles, food stuffs, leather goods, earthenware, ceramics, metal-wares, silverware, jewels, art, etc. Formal evening preview strictly by invitation. Fair opens to public, Saturday morning, Jan. 17th, 9:30 A.M. Contact: Mr. Bert Bacharach, BR. 9-8565.	R.H. MACY & CO. INC.	HERALD SQUARE 5TH FLOOR
✓ Week of Jan. 18-22	SPRING MARKET WEEK Two shows daily and gala evening event now in prospect. For complete sched- ule of events, consult Mr. O.J. Meinhardt, Exec. Promotional Dir., Assoc. Apparel Mfrs., Los Angeles, Calif.	ASSOCIATED APPAREL MFRS. OF LOS ANGELES	BILTMORE HOTEL LOS ANGELES, CALIF.
✓ Weeks of Jan. 18-21 And Jan. 25-28	SPRING MARKET WEEKS Millinery showings, Jan. 18 to 21; women's ready-to-wear, Jan. 25-28. Capen Fleming, Mgr. Director.	SAN FRANCISCO MFRS. & WHOLESALE ASSOC.	SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WHAT'S GOING ON</u>	<u>GIVEN BY</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
✓ Tuesday Jan. 20 7:00 P.M. Dinner	SPRING HAT FASHION SHOW AND DINNER Formal dinner (at 7 P.M.) will precede 9 P.M. showing of new Spring Hat Fashion Trends. New facet of this year's show will be feature-presentation of Hats for Juniors, wind-up of contest staged at Central Needle Trades High School, to encourage development of young millinery designers and get young ideas on young hats. Prize-winning hats will be presented on runway and winners awarded and introduced. Open to Trade and Press (the latter by invitation). Admission, \$12.50 including dinner; \$7.50 without (in mezzanine seats). Publicity: Margery Hartman, CH. 4-6547.	MILLINERY STABILIZA- TION COMMISSION	HOTEL ASTOR GRAND BALLROOM
✓ Friday Evening Jan. 23	"NIGHT IN POLAND" POLKA BALL 9th Annual Benefit Ball, always an important event of winter season. Net proceeds to Kosciuszko Foundation, Dr. Henry Nobel MacCracken, Pres., and Prof. Stephen P. Mizwa, Exec. Dir. Features include picturesque pageant embodying gay folk music, costumes and dances of Polish history. Open to public. Admission, \$3.30 (incl. tax). Press by invitation. Contact: Prof. Stephen P. Mizwa, RH. 4-7375.	KOSCIUSZKO FOUNDATION	WALDORF ASTORIA HOTEL BALLROOM
✓ Monday Jan. 26	CHICAGO SPRING MARKET WEEK	WOMEN'S, CHILDREN'S, IN- FANTS' WEAR & ACCESS. EXH.	MDSE. MART, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
✓ Monday Jan. 26	BOSTON SPRING MARKET WEEK Early reports promise new and different type of presentation under management of Ralph Bristol, until now identified with Parker House showings in men's wear field.	APPAREL, ACCESSORIES & LEISURE FASHION MFRS.	PARKER HOUSE BOSTON, MASS.
✓ Sunday Feb. 1-5	MINNEAPOLIS SPRING MARKET WEEK	NORTHWEST SALESMEN'S MARKET ASSOCIATION	HOTEL REDISSON MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

HOME FURNISHINGS CALENDAR

Now Showing	ARCHITECTURAL EXHIBIT Exhibit of architecture of Eric Mendelsohn, noted Modern Architect who, during the past 20 years, has designed many outstanding buildings in Germany, England, Palestine and Russia. Continues through Sunday, Jan. 4th. Museum Publicity: Sarah Newmayer, CI. 5-8900.	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART	11 WEST 53RD ST.
Beginning Monday Dec. 1	EXHIBIT: PORTRAITS IN UNIFORM Group exhibition of portraits and figure-paintings of men and women in uniform. Open to public. For further information, Denise Abbey, WI. 2-6055.	DECORATOR'S CLUB	745 FIFTH AVENUE
Wednesday Dec. 3	CHRISTMAS PARTY James Amster, famous for his antiques and "elegancies", will present a potpourri of gift ideas at a Christmas Party in his garden. The highly individual Amster Christmas Tree will be hung with antique trimmings. By invitation. Time of party (not yet set) will appear on invitations. Publicity: Clara Gross, PL. 8-1866.	JAMES AMSTER	140 EAST 53RD ST.
✓ Monday Jan. 12	EXHIBIT: WALL DECORATIONS Annual exhibit of screens, murals and wall-decorations. Open to public. For further information, contact: Denise Abbey, Exec. Sec., WI. 2-6055.	DECORATOR'S CLUB	745 FIFTH AVENUE

DATES AHEAD

Dec. 25 CHRISTMAS (Thursday)
Dec. 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE (Wednesday)

RED LETTER WEEKS

Dec. 25-1/1 NATIONAL HOBBY WEEK

MUSIC... THEATRE... NIGHT SPOTS

Newly Opened	"THE MID-NIGHT CLUB"	112 CENTRAL PARK SOUTH
	New late supper club with candle-light and mellow music. Featuring twin piano team of Margo Hopkins and Al Moran, and the Mid-Night Gypsies. Other attractions: adjoining Gin Rummy, Bagatelle and Backgammon room. Open from 11 P.M. No minimum and no couvert. Reservations from CI. 7-7900.	
Monday Dec. 1	PREMIERE: "SONS O' FUN"	WINTER GARDEN, 1634 B'WAY
	New Olsen & Johnson, Carmen Miranda, Ella Logan-musical with music by Sammy Fain and Jack Yellen. Costumes by Raoul Pené du Bois. Publicity: C. P. Greneker, CI. 6-9500.	
Monday Dec. 1-6 and Dec. 8-10	PREMIERE: ICE FOLLIES OF 1942	MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, 8TH AT 50TH
	Opening Night benefit for Musicians' Emergency Relief Fund. Single Admission: \$8.23 (incl. tax). Tickets from Burden-Littell Entertainment Bureau, Bonwit Teller's, EL. 5-6800. M.E.R.F. Publ., Helen Havener, CH. 3-3623. Madison Square Garden Publ., Mr. Ted Deglin, CO. 5-6800.	
Tuesday Dec. 2	PREMIERE: "TWELFTH NIGHT"	LITTLE THEATRE, 1721 B'WAY
	Chekhov Theatre Studio production of play by William Shakespeare, with Beatrice Straight, Hurd Hatfield, Ford Rainey and John Flynn. Publicity: J. G. Proctor, VA. 6-3198.	
Wednesday Dec. 3	PREMIERE: "SUNNY RIVER"	ST. JAMES THEATRE, 246 W. 44TH ST.
	Max Gordon Production of Hammerstein-Romberg musical with Muriel Angelus and Helen Claire in leading feminine roles. Settings by Stewart Chaney; costumes by Irene Sharaff. Publicity: Nat Dorfman, ME. 3-0858.	
Wednesday Dec. 3	DOROTHY MAYNOR RECITAL	CARNEGIE HALL, WEST 57TH STREET
	Sensational negro soprano's first concert of season. Benefit for Educational Dept. of N.Y. Women's Trade Union League. Honorary Chairman: Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Chairman: Mrs. Harold M. Lehman. Admission, \$1.10 up. Inquire: 247 Lexington Ave., CA. 5-0684.	
Wednesday Dec. 3	5TH IN COFFEE CONCERT SERIES	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART, 11 W. 53RD ST.
	"Hebraica" - a program of Jewish music and dancing, featuring Noami Aleh-Leaf; Benjamin Zemach; Ezekiel Albeg, Babylonian Cantor; Yemenite dancers and assisting artists. Admission: \$2.20 (incl. tax). Publ., Evelyn Gerstein Assoc., Miss Roll, CI. 6-7632.	
Friday Dec. 5	PREMIERE: "ANGEL STREET"	JOHN GOLDEN THEATRE, 252 W. 45TH ST.
	Shepard Traube production of Patrick Hamilton play with Judith Evelyn (young English actress), Vincent Price and Geo. G. Carroll. Settings and costumes by Lemuel Ayers. Publicity: J. G. Proctor, VA. 6-3198.	
Saturday Dec. 6	PREMIERE: "GOLDEN WINGS"	CORT THEATRE, 138 W. 48TH ST.
	Robert Milton production of play hitherto known as "R.A.F.", by William Jay and Guy Bolton, featuring Fay Wray, Owen Lamont, Signe Hasso and Lloyd Gough, in leading roles. Publicity: Philip Stevenson, ME. 3-4031.	
Thursday Dec. 11	PREMIERE: "THE ADMIRAL HAD A WIFE"	PLAYHOUSE, 137 W. 48TH STREET
	Lowell Barrington comedy produced by José Ferrer with Uta Hagen and Martha Hodge in cast. Publicity: Fred Spooner, CI. 7-2641.	
Monday Week of Dec. 22	PREMIERE: "LETTERS TO LUCERNE"	????
	Dwight Deere Wiman production of Fritz Rotter-Allen Vincent drama with Katherine Alexander and Grete Mosheim. Settings and costuming by Raymond Sovey. Publicity: Tom Weatherly, BR. 9-4064.	
Christmas Night Dec. 25	PREMIERE: "BANJO EYES"	HOLLYWOOD THEATRE, 1655 B'WAY
	Eddie Cantor in musical comedy by Joe Quillan and Izzy Ellinson, with music by Vernon Duke and John Latouche. Costumes by Irene Sharaff. Hats by Walter Florell. Publicity, Karl Bernstein, CI. 6-0427	